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In re Application of Francisco Sureda, et. al. Application No. 10/011,011 Filed: November 9, 2001 Attorney Docket No.14XZ00088

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 15, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed January 24, 2002. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned after midnight March 24, 2002.

In response, petitioner submitted with the instant petition the required Oath/Declaration and the \$130 surcharge for late filing of the Oath/Declaration. Since petitioner has met all the requirements for a grantable petition, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing using the declaration filed on May 15, 2003.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Andrea Smith at (703) 308-6711.

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